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REGISTERED VOTERS

—OF—

WADSWORTH PRECINCT FOR 1878.

List of names registered and remaining on the official register of Wadsworth precinct at the closing of said register on the 19th day of October, A. D. 1878:

A Arnold, C M
Arnold, T J
B Bower, B
Bricker, Frank
Boyle, Wm
Bailey, Edward Z
Brummit, H
Cardinell, T E
Col, Nicholas
Crosby, J F
Cullen, Thomas
Cooper, A J
Canon, W S
D Dodge, Alonso
Donekin, J F
Donaldson, Wm
Dinsmore, Wm
Drought, Robt
E Ehler, D S
Evans, E N
Eldred, J R
F Ferguson, J A
Feltagle, J
Free, Frank
Forrest, Jno R
Fowler, G C
G Griffin, Lawrence
Gladding, Wm H
Gregory, J O
Gilbert, F W
Gregory, E J
Gregory, D P
Gurcia, J R
Gilson, S A
H Hague, R C
Hague, W S
Herman, T G
Hill, Saml
Hughes, James G
Hyland, A P
Hoy, Chas F
Hill, B F
J Je Gries, Joseph
Jou'dan, A
Jone, V Henry
Jenkin, V Wm
K Kennedy, P H
Langer, W H
Lee, Jno
Lemmons, H A
Leathers, Jno
Linton, W D
Maisanbacker, M
Manetton, E 1 t
Madison, F B
McDarragh, Ed
McPherson, Wm
N Nugent, Hugh
O Oswald, W H
O'Brien, J S
Proctor, Robert
Pierson, Wm H
Pennington, H
Proctor, D
Proctor, Chas D
Patterson, John
Putnam, J W
Pugh, J A
R Robinson, S S
Richards, J W
Russell, A
Raphael, M
S Smith, Jas D
Salke, L W
Sawyer, G W
Stewart, H T
Shapley, E
Shields, M
Smith, J
Thompson, C W A
Thompson, J J
Taylor, J P
Traynor, J O
Underwood E N
W Woodford, J
Williams, J G
Winlock, W H
Walker, O
Warner, Frank
NOTICE:
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A TERRIFIC STORM.

Life and Property Destroyed Along the Atlantic Coast.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Dispatches from all points show that the storm of yesterday was one of the most violent experienced for years. The storm came from the tropics and, from midnight to noon, rapidly increased in energy. It was central near Bangor. It was attended with unusually heavy rainfall. At Washington the fall was 3.54 inches; at Baltimore, 2.14; Norfolk, 2.86; Lynchburg, 2.02; and Smithville, N. C., 32.

At Cape May the wind travelled at the rate of 84 miles an hour. It drove the tide upon the meadows between the city and the mainland, covering the railroad three feet, and preventing the trains from leaving. The hotel and cottages were badly damaged, as was also the beach drive, and yachts, sloops and schooners were blown ashore.

At Baltimore property along the wharves suffered much and disasters on the bay are feared. Along the line of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore railroad the loss is serious.

The storm was severe on the sound and along the New England coast, and light crafts were heavily hampered.

At Mount Washington at 5 p. m. the wind was blowing at the rate of 120 miles an hour, with a heavy rain.

The ship A. S. Davis, from Callao, went ashore south of Cape Henry, and is a total wreck. Only one person was saved:

PHILADELPHIA'S LOSS.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 24.—At 2:30 yesterday morning a terrible gale struck this city and continued with increasing power till 7:30, when it gradually subsided, and at 9 A. M. died away with a rain shower. An immense amount of damage has been done. Forty churches are more or less injured. Roofs were carried off and whole buildings demolished.

The following church steeples, among others were blown down: Walnut street church, 180 feet high—loss, \$35,000; First Baptist church, 170 feet high—damage, \$23,000; Emmanuel Lutheran church, 222 feet high.

Railroad property suffered largely. The shed for departing trains at the Pennsylvania railroad depot, West Philadelphia, was demolished. Loss, \$40,000. The large depot of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore railroad, Washington avenue wharf, was reduced to ruins, and the south side of the Pennsylvania elevator, in the immediate vicinity, was blown in. The whole eastern end of the Twelfth and Sixteenth street passenger railway depot was leveled to the ground. The two western spans of the Schuylkill bridge, on the Reading railroad fell into the river, and stopped all travel in that direction. The Reading railroad ferryhouse and slip, above Queen street were demolished.

It is estimated that at least fifty warehouses along the wharves were blown from their fastenings, and great quantities of goods floated off with the tide.

A number of deaths have occurred from falling roofs and trees, seven being already reported. It is estimated that the injured will number 75.

The knitting mill of Aaron Jones & Son, Germantown, were unroofed. The building also caught fire and a panic ensued among the operatives. Wm. Pinniger, Pharmacist.

PHYSICIAN'S PRESCRIPTIONS receive personal attention of a graduate in Pharmacy, of twenty years experience, at the Reno Drug Store, (late Hoole). A full line of toilet and fancy articles, and every patent medicine of repute. Wm. Pinniger, Pharmacist.

ADVICES FROM ALL DIRECTIONS.

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—Advices from points all along the eastern coast report yesterday's storm as the most destructive that has ever visited the country. Houses were unroofed and demolished everywhere in the gale's path.

At Brooklyn much damage was done. Great havoc was made with bathing houses and dwellings all along the beach.

At Trenton, N. J., the damage is estimated at \$25,000.

At Pottstown, Pa., the nail and plate mills of the Pottstown Iron Co. were blown down. Loss, \$25,000.

At Madison, a bridge over the Schuylkill was destroyed. Loss, \$10,000. Private buildings damaged and two steeples blown down. One death.

At Doylestown, two steeples were blown away and a private dwelling unroofed.

Scranton, Albany, Harrisburg, Goldboro, Camden, Beverly, Bordentown, Wilkesbarre and other places report heavy losses from rain and wind.

At Chester, Pa., 19 dwellings were blown down and 70 unroofed; three churches partially destroyed, and 11 manufacturing houses forced to suspend work. Several schooners and sloops were washed ashore, and five canal boats loaded with coal were sunk in the river.

Mr. and Mrs. Hight, living on a farm at Scow Bay, W. T., near Port Townsend, were horribly murdered last Friday or Saturday. The husband was shot while milking in the shed and the wife is supposed to have been shot while running to his assistance. Parties passing the farm house on Sunday were attracted by the cries of two children, one of them only four months old. Neither the perpetrators nor incentive for the crime is known.

The ministerial crisis in Rome will soon terminate, it is thought. Gen. Bonelli has accepted the ministry of war and Signor Cairoli, of foreign affairs.

A letter from Thull says that the Amer is, undoubtedly, assisted by Russia.

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THE GHOSTS.

The subject of spiritualism is receiving a good deal of attention just now. The subject can not be said to be under discussion, however. Two clergymen have, within the past few days, lectured upon it, and nobody worth mentioning has replied to them. There is a good opportunity for some well informed spiritualist to come here and set forth in clear terms what spiritualists believe and what they claim to be able to prove. The clerical explanation of spiritualistic phenomena—that the devil is responsible for everything—is no explanation at all. That is a worn out solution of things that can not be understood and is utterly at variance with the modern method of dealing with occult matters. It is beyond denial that the spiritualists at their seances and through their mediums do produce some extraordinary phenomena, which have fairly floored some of the best scientists of the time. No Christian can consistently deny the possibility of the appearance upon earth of supernatural beings, or of their communicating with humanity. The Bible is full of such appearances. Science, however, does not yet admit the supernatural into the circle of its knowledge and at present, like the rest of the world, falls back upon "common sense" and sneers at everything beyond its knowledge. It should not be forgotten that not so long ago it was common sense to believe that the world was flat and that the stars were so many candles lighted for our special convenience. We are not declaring a belief in spiritualism, by any means, but there are hundreds of thousands of very intelligent respectable people scattered all over the country who do believe in it thoroughly. It is, furthermore, the only religious system that does not demand faith in a future life, but offers to prove one great fact of which the world just now is in very great doubt.

Deacon Parkinson, of the Carson *Tribune* boldly proclaims in his paper that he has been a citizen of the United States for 28 years. Can you show your naturalization papers, Verbum? Will you accept a bet of two to one that you won't be allowed to vote at the next election?

Bismarck will feel no slight alarm when he tears the wrapper of the *Gazette* at the breakfast table and learns that the Sacramento *Bee* thinks that "the German government is simply making a fool of itself" in its manner of dealing with the Socialists.

Surgeon, London's clerical performers, who believe that the Almighty sinks ships, sends plagues and drowns small boys on Sunday, will be rather puzzled over the destruction of so many churches by the eastern tornado of Wednesday.

The Carson *Appeal* is harrowing the soul of Deacon Parkinson by republishing from the files of the *Tribune* complimentary notices of Mr. Mighels while that gentleman was a member of the legislature.

If we are insane, as the *Gazette* claims—*Freddy Hart*.

How many are there of you?

Ver Mer's Squandered Money.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 24.—The case of Parrot & Co. vs. Briggs, Morris & O'Conor, to recover amounts lost at the gambling house of defendants by Alfred Ver Mehr while in the employ of plaintiffs, this morning came suddenly to an end for the term in an unexpected manner, being continued.

Since yesterday afternoon the time of the court has been occupied in hearing arguments on the bill of particulars filed by plaintiffs. This morning Briggs, through his counsel, made affidavit that he has at the instigation of his lawyer, asked for a bill particularizing the amounts lost by Ver Mehr and dates of said losses; that he had largely prepared to meet and disprove all the allegations of the bill, when counsel for plaintiff, finding that he could not prove the accuracy of the items, suddenly demanded the privilege of amending his complaint so as to prove the loss of \$35,000 without showing at what time various sums had been won from Van Mehr by defendant.

Guided by the bill of particulars Briggs prepared to show that Van Mehr did not have the amount stated, nor did he incur his losses at times stated, but that he had, in other ways and at other times, squandered the money of his employer. The withdrawal of this bill, therefore, was a surprise and he demanded a postponement of his case to prepare against the new plan of attack adopted by plaintiff.

The Court admitted the justice of the demand, and the case by mutual consent went over for the term.

Killing the Democratic Party.

Burlington Hawkeye.] Ben Hill in Georgia: "I begin to think that the Democratic party can never be killed. Secession did not kill it; the war did not kill it; fraud did not kill it; it has not killed itself and it will not die."

Kill the Democratic party? Of course you can't. That's just what the sinner said to Noah: "By George" says they, "you may drown every last beggar of us, and the world will be so full of us before the ground is dry, that you can't shut your eyes and throw a club without hitting some of us and having a fight on your hands." And they were right; there are more of them and worse ones in the world to-day than there were before the flood.

If with anyone employee or set of employees, they should be sent to Carson. There are altogether too many accidents on the railroad. Whatever the outcome of the present case, we are glad that the state has become a party to it. It is better able to fight a wealthy corporation than any individual.

The editorial page of the Virginia *Chronicle* is a typographical monstrosity at present. Whenever the editor gets an idea it excites him and he double leads it and bolsters the rare find with italics and capitals. Arguments that depend on type for their strength can't be worth much.

[Burlington Hawkeye.]

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POLITICAL.**REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.**
ELECTION, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1878.

Resolved, That we re-affirm the principles of, and renew our allegiance to the party which preserved the Union, freed the slaves and maintained the essential doctrine: that this is a nation and not a confederacy bound together with ropes of sand, and that both State and national governments should give ample and complete protection to its citizens, both at home and abroad; that against the assaults of traitors and rebels the Republican party has preserved these governments, and the Republicans of Nevada now demand that every qualified elector in every State—in every State, South and North, Democrats or Republican, black or white—shall be permitted, undisturbed by force and unswayed by fear, to vote at all elections; at the places prescribed by law, and that every vote so cast shall be honestly counted, and that every person chosen by such votes, to any office shall be freely induced into it, and effectively supported in the discharge of its duties. That the permanent pacification of the Southern section of the Union, and complete protection of all its citizens, in their civil, political, personal and property rights, is the duty to which the Republican party stands solemnly pledged. In order to redeem this pledge, it placed the recent amendments in the Constitution, and upon the righteous basis of said amendments, it will go forward in the work of pacification, until peace shall come through right doing, and contentment through Justice. That the evident purpose of the Democratic party, if it should come into full power, is to pay hundreds of millions of suspended war claims of disloyal men, already presented to Congress or awaiting a favorable moment for presentation, makes it doubly important, now that the Senate is soon to pass under Democratic domination, that the House of Representatives to be chosen in the coming election should be under Republican control.

Resolved, That the validity of the presidential term was definitely and finally settled by the forty-fourth Congress, and that, the attempt shadowed forth by the Potter resolutions to disturb the title by which President Hayes and Vice-President Wheeler hold their seats is revolutionary and dangerous in the extreme, and characteristic as it is of the underlying motives of the rebel Democracy call for our unqualified disapproval and denunciation.

Resolved, That it is the duty of Congress to perfect with all possible expedition such legislation as will secure to the country the benefit of an honest and fair adjustment of freight and fares on all railroads, whose construction is the result of land grants, subsidies, loans and other government aid assistance.

Resolved, That the Republican party favors and demands at the hands of the State Legislature legislation having in view the regulation and equalization of freights and fares on all railroads within this State.

Resolved, That in their shameless disregard of our avowed principles, the Democratic party of this State in their unmistakable purpose to nominate the present incumbent of the gubernatorial office for a third term, have brought upon themselves the deserved distrust, not only of every Republican, but of the more honorable and consistent members of their own party.

Resolved, That we believe in the doctrine of rotation in office, and that so believing we are opposed to the nomination of candidates to office under the State government for a third term.

Resolved, That we hail with joy the remonetization of silver as a step toward our emancipation from the grasp of the corrupt money rings of Europe and America, and we ask Congress to complete the measure of our redemption by according to silver unrestrained coinage.

Resolved, That in the legislation of the forty-fifth Congress, nothing more fully commands our approbation than the efforts of our Senators and Representatives in securing the remonetization of silver and the dual standard in the coinage of the country.

Resolved, That there should be retrenchment in the public service; that men elected to office should be qualified by education, intelligence and business habits to perform the duties of their respective offices, and that the system of deputations and clerkships at present existing in the interest of State officers should be abolished at once and forever.

Resolved, That public lands are the property of the people, and therefore they should be reserved for actual settlers, aided in their settlement by the Government and protected in their possessions by just laws.

Resolved, That we recognize the wisdom of the framers of our constitution in providing for the taxation of the proceeds of the mines; that all taxes should be equal and uniform; that the present system of taxation is as just and fair as any that can be devised and should be preserved; that the mining corporations doing business in this State pay no more than their just proportion of taxes, while the railroad property situated within this State pay much less than its just proportion; that no more taxes should be raised any year than are necessary to defray the actual and necessary expenses of the State during the same period, when economically and honestly administered; that the present rate of assessment of property should be decreased so as to produce only such a sum as is absolutely required to pay the expenses of the State, at the same time having due regard to the surplus of funds already in the treasury.

Resolved, That the Republican party of the State of Nevada is opposed to and protests against any repeal, modification or any change in the law taxing the proceeds of the mines commonly known as the "bullock tax law."

Resolved, That we refer with pride to the record of the Republican party in Congress, where, in spite of the assaults of a malignant and unscrupulous opposition, not one stain of dishonor rests, and not one act has been brought to light which reflects anything but renown upon the representatives of our organization and its principles.

Resolved, That labor in itself recognizes the Republican party as its exponent; demands emancipation from oppression, and elevation to its proper dignity, a just and equal place with capital, and that both are alike necessary to the well-being of society.

Resolved, That the general government should immediately take such steps as to absolutely stop the further immigration of Asiatics to our country; and that such just and peaceful measures should be adopted as may be appropriate and necessary to induce those already among us to quit our shores at the earliest practical moment.

Resolved, That the Republican party of the State of Nevada enters its most solemn protest and condemnation against any corrupt interference in the politics or legislation of this State, by moneyed rings or corporations, or the representatives of aggregated wealth or capital; that we view with alarm the increasing and unceasing attempt of the moneyed powers of the Pacific States to control the elections and shape the legislation of

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said States; that the principal and practice are fraught with danger to our Republican reform government, and should be round down, and resisted by every individual who has at heart the welfare of American institutions and the freedom of the masses.

Resolved, That we are unutterably opposed to the diversion of any monies raised by the taxation of the whole people to the use of benefit of any sect or religious denomination.

Resolved, That we solemnly declare it to be the sentiment of the Republican party that the breach of a pledge given to a nominating convention by a successful candidate for office is only the result of such production. Believing that the policy of capital gives luxury to the few while well paid and prosperous labor gives comfort to all. We declare our wish that the interests of labor shall have a governing influence in shaping the affairs of state, thus bringing the greatest good to the greatest number.

Resolved, That to promote the advancement of education and morals, to stimulate a true and benevolent enlightenment, and to preserve to the men, women and children of this State the fruits of the taxes so cheerfully borne and generously disbursed in behalf of our administrative system of public schools; to maintain the Union and protect its flag; to guard the memories of the dead who died in the name of Union, liberty and law; and to vindicate all our acts and purposes is the aim and mission of the Republican party here and elsewhere; and, first of all, to do that which is best for the preservation and perpetuation of that party and its principles, holding all men's claims and aspirations secondary to these high claims and ends: these are our duties, and these the intentions we do most strenuously maintain and avow.

E. B. HARRIS, Chairman,
ALF. DONEEN, Secretary
Of the Republican State Central Committee.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
J. H. KINKEAD,
Of Humboldt.

For Lieutenant-Governor,
HENRY R. MIGHELS,
Of Ormsby.

For Member of Congress,
R. M. DAGGETT,
Of Storey.

For Judge of Supreme Court,
T. P. HAWLEY,
Of White Pine.

For State Controller,
J. F. HALLOCK,
Of Lincoln.

For State Treasurer,
L. L. CROCKETT,
Of Washoe.

For Secretary of State,
JASPER BABCOCK,
Of Storey.

For Attorney-General,
M. A. MURPHY,
Of Esmeralda.

For Surveyor-General,
A. J. HATCH,
Of Washoe.

For Supreme Court Clerk,
CHARLES F. BICKNELL,
Of Ormsby.

For Sup't of Public Instruction,
J. D. HAMMOND,
Of Ormsby.

Second Judicial District.

For District Judge,
CHAS. S. VARIAN,
Of Washoe

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Resolved, That we have known the Republican party to be the party of good government, and that it has always guaranteed the greatest good to the greatest number. Believing that an insidious foe in time of peace is no less dangerous than an avowed enemy in time of war, we refer to the glorious record of the Republican party as a full guarantee of its national use and significance. We therefore declare it to be the first duty of good citizens and in the first interests of good government that the Republican party be continued as the law-making power of the land.

Resolved, That we heartily endorse the platform of the State convention of our party, held in Eureka Sept. 18th. That we endorse the same, both in spirit and letter, and do pledge our candidates to a fulfillment of the promises therein made to the people.

Resolved, That this convention, as a representative of the Republican party of Washoe county, heartily endorse and applaud the vote of Washoe's Senators and Assemblymen in the Legislature of '77 upon the infamous Bullion Tax compromise bill. And we declare that in our best judgment such vote was cast for honesty, purity and the public good.

Resolved, That in our best judgment, the official acts of the Hon. J. P. Jones in the Senate of the United States meets with the hearty concurrence and approbation of the Republican party of Washoe county.

Resolved, That Washoe county demands a careful revision of the fee bill of this State, and such legislation relative to the compensation of public officials as the exigencies of the case requires. Believing that the fees of the public servants ought to be definitely and precisely fixed by law and regulated upon the basis of a fair compensation for the services performed, our candidates for the Senate and Assembly are hereby instructed and pledged, if elected, to use honorable means to secure legislation in this respect which will equitably regulate, and adjust the correlative obligations of the people and public officers concerning public duties and the compensation thereof.

Resolved, That the Republican party of Washoe county believes the very first qualifications of its candidates must be honesty and capacity. No personal friendships or popularity shall be permitted to conceal or extenuate the dishonest or incapable administration of public affairs. Therefore the Republican party in convention assembled does hereby pledge itself and its candidates to a careful and prudent administration of the county affairs, and to such reforms or to extenuate abuses as the nature of the case demands.

Resolved, That we solemnly declare it to be the doctrine of the Republican party that the pledges given to a nominating convention by a successful candidate for office are binding

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said States; that the principal and practice are fraught with danger to our Republican reform government, and should be round down, and resisted by every individual who has at heart the welfare of American institutions and the freedom of the masses.

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Of the Republican State Central Committee.

COUNTY TICKET.

State Senator,
C. C. POWNING,
Of Reno.

Assembly,
J. P. FOULKS,
Of Verdi,

E. E. UNDERWOOD,
Of Wadsworth,

W. E. PRICE,
Of Franktown.

Sheriff,
A. K. LAMB,
Of Reno.

County Clerk,
C. R. WICKES,
Of Reno.

Assessor,
W. F. EVERETT,
Of Huffaker's.

Commissioner (long term),
R. H. KINNEY,
Of Glendale.

Commissioner (short term),
E. OLINGHOUSE,
Of Wadsworth.

Recorder,
R. H. WRIGHT,
Of Mill.

Treasurer,
D. B. BOYD,
Of Reno.

District Attorney,
JOHN BOWMAN,
Of Reno.

Surveyor,
DON H. BARKER,
Of Reno.

Superintendent of Public Schools,
DR. A. DAWSON,
Of Reno.

Public Administrator,
C. W. JONES,
Of Reno.

TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

Justice of the Peace,
JOHN S. BOWKER.

Constable,
JOSEPH V. PEERS.

Road Supervisor,
ROBERT HARRISON.

School Trustees,
JAS. H. KINKEAD,
C. A. BRAGG,

J. L. McFARLIN.

Official.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION of the State of Nevada, passed at the Eighth Session of the Legislature.

Resolved, That there shall be added to the present Constitution of this State an Article to be called and known as Article XVIII, and which shall be as follows:

ARTICLE XVIII.—The right of suffrage and representation shall be extended to all male citizens of the United States, by reason of his color or previous condition of servitude. Passed February 15, 1877.

RESOLVED, By the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That Article Eleven (11) of the Constitution of the State of Nevada be amended by adding to said Article Eleven (11) section ten (10) thereto, which shall read as follows:

Section 10. No public funds, of any kind or character whatever, State, county or municipal, shall be used for sectarian purposes.

Passed February 27, 1877.

I hereby certify the foregoing to be true copies from the enrolled resolutions on file in my office.

Witness my hand and the Great Seal of the State, August 3, 1878.

J. D. MINOR,
Secretary of State.

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Resolved, 1st. That self-preservation is the first law of nature, the principle applies to governments as to individuals.

2d. That the existence of Chinese in the United States is detrimental and injurious to the present and future welfare of our country, and therefore the people demand the abrogation of that part of the Burlingame treaty permitting immigration of the Chinese.

3d. That the Chinese be taxed a per capita tax of one hundred dollars per annum for the purpose of creating a sinking fund to prosecute and defend Chinese suits at law.

4th. That no Chinese shall be employed for wages upon any public works, and that no Chinaman shall be employed by any public officer, in, around or upon any public building.

5th. That the Workingmen's party is unqualifiedly opposed to all land monopoly.

6th. That the government subsidies of land to any corporate bodies, associations or individuals, is wrong in principle and injurious and detrimental to the future growth and prosperity of our country. That all government land should be held in trust for the actual settler.

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9th. That the Workingmen's party is unqualifiedly opposed to all land monopoly.

10th. That all Government bonds be taxed for their full cash value the same as other property.

11th. That gold, silver and currency of the United States shall be legal tender for all taxes and dues, both public and private, and for Government, State and corporate bodies. Special contract laws affecting the legal tender of gold, silver or currency must be abolished.

12th. That the President and Vice-President of the United States be elected by a direct vote of the people.

13th. That all salaries and fees of the State and county officers shall be equalized as to conform to the best interests of the people.

14th. That the Workingmen's party will not support for office any candidate who will not publicly and unequivocally pledge himself to support the Bullion Tax law as it now stands.

15th. That in all nominations the Jeffersonian principle "Is he honest? Is he capable?" shall be a criterion by which to be guided, and that all candidates shall be of good moral character and standing.

16th. That all nominations of the party shall be made with open doors but that no persons other than members of the party shall have any voice in the proceedings thereof.

17th. That the United States Congress and the legislature of Nevada should pass laws making peculation, stealing or malfeasance in office by any officer, appointed or elected, an unpardonable crime.